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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)				Docket No. HARTFORD-1 STEP SURETY	
In Re Application Of: Byron Blair					
Application No. 09/738,023	Filing Date 12/15/2000	Examiner Franel, Vanel	Customer No. 45722	Group Art Unit 3626	Confirmation No. 9285
Invention: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ISSUING INSURANCE UNDERWRITING INSTRUMENTS					



COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 04/03/2007 above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

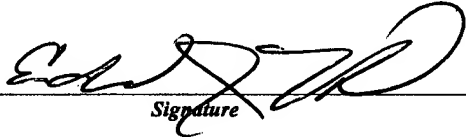
☒ One month
 ☐ Two months
 ☐ Three months
 ☐ Four months
 ☐ Five months

from: 07/03/2007 until: 08/03/2007
Date Date

The fee for the extension of time is **\$120** and is to be paid as follows:

☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **50-3208**
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-3208**
☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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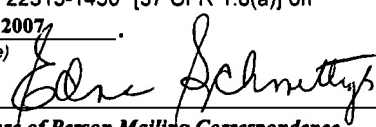
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Dated: **July 27, 2007**

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